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FIRST DISTRICT

Congressional Convention.

A convention of the First Congressional District Republicans will be held in the city of Wheeling, W. Va., on Thursday, July 14, 1892, to nominate a candidate for Congress for said district to be voted for at the election to be held in November next, and to transact such other business as may come before the convention.

W. E. STATLER, Chairman.

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NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT.

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OF Indiana.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

WHITELAW REID.

OF New York.

"One Good Term Deserves Another."

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ROBERT ANDERSON.

FOR MEMBERS HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

S. G. SMITH.

G. H. MEDICK.

C. J. RAWLING.

ALEX. MCCOLOCHE.

A British View of the American Tariff.

Shuffled Daily Telegraph.

The promoters of the McKinley tariff meant it to push forward the policy of America for the Americans. One method of realizing it was to keep all work within their own dominions. The country was to be made self-sufficient; what could be produced at home was not to be bought abroad. That was the key-note of the McKinley scheme, and it is working out the idea of its designers with the precision and effectiveness of a machine.

REPUBLICAN victory in the coming

election would retard for a long time the progress of the sound commercial doctrines that underlie the commercial greatness of Great Britain and alone maintain British ascendancy.—London Evening News.

IN 1890 it was a conflict of predictions;

now our adversaries must face trade statistics and prices current.—President Harrison, June 21, 1892.

READERS of the Intelligencer going

out of town for the summer can have the Intelligencer mailed to them for sixty-five cents per month, postage free.

West Virginia's Prosperity.

R. G. Dun & Co's "Business Outlook" for the first half of 1892, gives a very favorable report for West Virginia. The failures in this state during the second quarter of the year were 14, with total liabilities \$45,100. The total number of failures for the six months ending June 30 were 22, with liabilities of \$91,900, against 45 failures for the first six months of 1891 and \$222,800 liabilities. This "speaks volumes for the state and shows that West Virginia has shared in the general prosperity of the country.

In the general review of the trade in the same circular, the following report from Wheeling appears:

"Crop and trade reports from points covering about one-half of the state of West Virginia and portions of Ohio, indicate general good crops in all localities, and business conditions prosperous. Corn has been retarded somewhat by wet weather, and at some points the fruit crop seems to have suffered from early frosts, but the damage has not been great anywhere. The general steady, industrial growth of West Virginia keeps up, and new development of coal and lumber industries is in progress all the time. Especially is this the case along the lines of the West Virginia Central railroad and the West Virginia & Pittsburgh railroad, both of which are new lines running through the interior of the state and opening up a rich mineral and lumber region.

The development companies organized at a number of different points seem to have created a healthy and permanent growth in the sections where they operate, and the boom is steady and continuous. At some points local influences have unfavorably affected trade, but this does not materially affect the general volume. Failures are few and unimportant, and the loss from that source is not large. Jobbing houses report collections as slow for this time of the year, but with the general good conditions which seem to prevail there should be a decided improvement in that line after harvest. Bad roads are a very important factor in causing dilution in trade through the interior portions of this state, and the improvement of country roads is something on which liberal amounts from both the state and individual counties might be very profitably expended."

No state in the union makes a better

showing than West Virginia. She has gone on prospering in spite of the calamity howlers and will continue to do so. Every leading industry in the state is a protected industry, fostered by the Republican policy of protection, and while contemplating the splendid industrial growth reported above, and the general condition of trade, it is well to keep this fact in mind.

Let the calamity howlers continue to howl and to draw a gloomy picture of the future. They will not be happy unless they are permitted to look on the dark side of things, and it hurts no one. Let the Democratic free traders assert that Republican protection is a fraud and the country is on the verge of ruin because of the McKinley bill. It is their political capital, weak though it be. But the fact remains that the United States in general and our own section in particular is enjoying an era of unprecedented prosperity. Trade statistics show it. The facts are indisputable.

Weaver's Nomination.

If anything was needed to weaken the Third party movement it was the nomination of Weaver for President. The new party could not possibly have found a man in whom the members could have less confidence; or who is less fitted to be a leader. And yet he suits the platform, and according to the fitness of things his nomination was proper.

General Weaver is a calamity howler from away back. Twelve years ago he was the head and front of the greenback craze and was that party's candidate for President. Six years later, finding himself without a party, he looked around for another new movement to head and found it in the Union-Labor party, which was the greenback crowd under another name and organization. He is a chronic agitator of new ideas and an advocate of impractical doctrines and visionary schemes. Like others of his kind and the great mass of those who made up the new so-called People's party convention, he sees nothing bright in the future and in the most prosperous of times reads the signs of ruin and disaster, which only the fallacies and sophistries some new wildly constructed reform movement can avert. It matters not to him what the principles are so they are utopian, and contemplate a revolution, or a general turning over and substitution of a fanciful system that originated in the mind of some visionary "statesman," for the old order of things.

General Weaver's whole record suits the platform, and in rounding out the beginning of the end of its fruitless career the new party of strange and impractical ideas did an appropriate thing.

The Heavens Rage.

The esteemed Register will be glad to know that "Mr. Hart, editor of the INTELLIGENCER," did not, at "Elm Grove, June 30, 1892," or at any other time or place, say what "Democratic voter of Triadelphia district" quotes him as saying. Mr. Hart was present when the vote was taken by the legislature to seat Judge Fleming as governor after the people had defeated him. There has never been any question of the vote of the legislature by which Judge Fleming was seated.

The point is on the seating of Judge Fleming in the face of a majority of voters of the state against him. The Democratic leaders did this, but they had the decency not to declare the majority they claimed for him. They had the strength in the legislature, and they used it.

Senator Carr, the independent spoken of, became from that day an avowed Democrat and has since been an active Democratic politician. The Register will of course be glad to make the correction.

By the way, how did the Register's correspondent come to write about all this under date of February 5, 1890? The whole thing has a fishy flavor.

The Boston Journal's remark that it

is by the action of the majority and not of the minority that political parties must be judged is applicable to the records of the two parties as shown in the vote on the silver bill in the senate the other day. Here they are:

Democratic vote for free silver.....19

Democratic vote against free silver.....7

Democratic majority for free silver.....12

Republican vote for free silver.....11

Republican vote against free silver.....15

Republican majority against free silver.....4

DEMOCRATIC free traders who claim to

know so well that the lock-out of the iron workers is due to protection, are silent as the grave when asked the cause of the numerous strikes against wage reductions in England, which enjoys the very sort of a tariff that the Democratic platform declares for.

GEN. WEAVER has been a member of

about every party that has been in existence in this country since he became of age. If it were possible for him to be elected to preside over the affairs of government, the country would never know where to find him.

Now THAT Editor Dana has concluded to support the Democratic ticket it is presumed that he will not object to Mr. Cleveland making use of the American Encyclopedia in preparing his campaign speeches.

It was real shrewd of Mr. Pendleton to say nice things about the Tammany leaders in his New York speech. But, then, Tammany does not vote in Mr. Pendleton's district and the sweetness was all wasted.

HILL isn't going to lay awake nights conjuring schemes to elect Cleveland. That much is certain. His friends say he will support the ticket without mentioning the names of the candidates. This is significant.

THE Field is against Reid and Stevenson, the two favorites for Vice President, but don't place your money on the Field. One of the favorites will win this race sure.

"Each Spoonful has done its Perfect Work,"

Is the verdict of every woman who has used Royal Baking Powder. Other baking powders soon deteriorate and lose their strength, owing to the use of inferior ingredients, but Royal Baking Powder is so carefully and accurately compounded from the purest materials that it retains its strength for any length of time, and the last spoonful in the can is as good as the first, which is not true of any other baking powder.

BREAKFAST BUDGET.

An elderly lady who lives near Atlanta, Ga., is dead. A few weeks ago she rode on an electric car for the first time in her life, and when she returned home she declared that she could hear perfectly while on an electric car. One of the family went with her, boarded an electric car and found that the elderly lady could hear perfectly.

Henry Ward Beecher's widow says the great Brooklyn preacher wrote but one poem, and refused to let Robert Bonner print it in the Ledger in spite of an offer of \$5,000 for it. It was written in Beecher's college days at Amherst, the good lady says, and contained about as much poetry as there is in "Jack and Jill."

Breathes there a man with a soul so dead Who never to himself hath said: This is my own, my native land! Whose heart bath ne'er within him burn'd As home his footsteps he hath turn'd From wandering on a foreign strand?—Scott.

The Eiffel tower is now the highest clock tower in the world. A gigantic clock has been placed on its second platform, and scientists daily and hourly take observations on the motion of the pendulum, it being their idea that the revolution of the earth on its axis may be visibly demonstrated by the experiment.

A young hack writer was employed to write up a prospectus for a circus. "Say," he said, turning to the manager, "I've about exhausted my vocabulary on this thing. Have you a thesaurus?" "No," said the circus man, "we've only got a hippopotamus."—Harper's Monthly.

A farmer living near Red Creek, N. Y., recently found a cow in the act of devouring the entire family wardrobe. She had already eaten a "pair of trousers, a vest, a cardigan jacket, two silk handkerchiefs, a pair of lady's walking shoes, and the leg off a rubber boot."

The Lately Married One: "I never heard of such trouble as I have with my servants. They are so stupid." The Inexperienced One: "Don't talk me! The other day I sent Patrick out for two egg-plants; he came back with two hens."—Scribner's Magazine.

A Warsaw clockmaker will send to the World's Fair a clock representing a railway station, in which are all the circumstances of arrival and departure, with whistles, bells, rattle of carriages, etc., are repeated every fifteen minutes.

"This is the day we celebrate, Which sees us glad and fed; Which makes our joy and comfort great," The surgeon gaily said.

—Washington Star.

"We have decided," writes a rural editor, "to withdraw from the race for corner. We can make more money selling votes than we can buying 'em."—Atlanta Constitution.

"Say, Jimmy, how did you get yer father to buy so many fireworks?"

"I told him I guessed he'd better shoot most of them off for me."—Washington Star.

Leonard Whitton, of Brighton, Ontario, is classed as the biggest man in Canada. He weighs 409 pounds. Ten years ago he weighed but 150 pounds.

When Liberty is lost, Let abject coward live; but in the brave It were treachery to themselves, enough To merit chains. Thomson.

Fourteen young men sailed from New York to Glasgow a few days ago to make a bicycle tour of England, Ireland and Scotland.

Natural gas has been discovered on the shore of the Great Salt Lake, within ten miles of Salt Lake City.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Emil Zola, in writing his latest novel, which took him fifteen months, is said to have filled 1,035 sheets of paper. Thereupon the *Figaro* improves the occasion with some further statistics, such as that M. Zola used 500 goose-quills, of which 325 had white and the remainder yellow beaks, except of the last chapter, which he wrote with a steel nib, so as to be more forcible; that he consumed five one-half pints of black ink and half a pint of red (which inspires him when his imagination fails), and that he was twice compelled to renew his blotting paper on account of accidents with the inkstand, with other details of similar importance.

Princess Yousouppoff has an oriental pearl which is unique for the beauty of its color. In 1820 this pearl was sold by Georgeus, of Calais, to Philip IV, of Spain, at the price of 80,000 ducats. Today it is valued at £45,000. Pope Leo XIII. again owns a pearl left to him by his predecessor on the throne of St. Peter, which is worth £20,000, and the chain of thirty-two pearls owned by the Empress Frederick is estimated at £25,000.

Mrs. Langtry made a very promising debut, recently, under the name of "Mr. Jersey," when she was credited with a prize valued at something like twelve thousand dollars, by the success of her colt Millford in the race for the Royal 2-year-old plate at Kempton Park. Her "colors" are fawn, with blue-hooped sleeves and cap.

William Astor Chandler, the young American who has started on an expedition into the African interior, is a son of the late John Winthrop Chandler, and first became known to fame through his daring trip around Mount Kilimanjaro some three years ago.

Mascagni has now reached that degree of importance where the leading singers in his new opera come to his place of residence, Leichorn, to rehearse under his immediate direction. He does not have to go to Milan for that purpose.

Bishop John S. Michael, of the Catholic diocese of Burlington, was born of very poor parents, at Burlington, Vt., fifty years ago. He is the first native of Vermont that has received such distinction at the hands of the pope.

Big Cloud, son of the famous Indian chief, Red Cloud, has gone home to Dakota to die. During his stay at Hampton school he became a hopeless consumptive, and was immediately packed off to his reservation.

A FULL line of E. J. Burt's celebrated fine shoes just received.

L. V. BROWN, Sole Agent.

THE REPUBLICAN LEAGUE.

Official Call for the Fifth Annual Convention of the National League of Clubs. New York, July 5.—President Clarkson, of the National League of Republican clubs has issued the following official call for the meeting of the National League convention:

To the Republican State Leagues of the United States and the Delegates of the National Convention.

GENTLEMEN:—By authority delegated to the executive committee by the national league, assembled in Cincinnati, Ohio, on the twenty-second day of April, 1891, and in obedience to instructions and authority given to me by the executive committee, I hereby direct that the fifth annual convention of the national Republican league of the United States shall convene in the city of Buffalo, New York, at one o'clock, on September 1st, 1892, and continue in session thereafter during such hours as said convention may determine.

The business which will come before the convention will include the reports from the officers of the league, the election of officers and members of the executive committee for the ensuing year, the designation of the place of meeting for the subsequent National League convention, and such other questions as the convention may deem proper.

Under the revised constitution of the National League the convention will be composed of about 1,000 delegates. Article VI reads as follows: "The national convention shall be composed of two delegates-at-large from each state organization in the league, and of two delegates from each Congressional district, in which there shall be one or more permanent Republican clubs, together with the President and secretary of each state league, and all officers of the national organization, who shall be ex-officio delegates. Each delegate present shall be entitled to one vote."

Each state league shall also elect alternates, equal to the delegates in number. A general circular of information will be issued from these headquarters at a later date.

JAMES S. CLARKSON, President.

ANDREW B. HUMPHREY, Secretary.

What to do With a Watermelon.

Atlanta Constitution.

When you thump it with your fingers and it gives a heavy sound,

Like summer rain falling on the dry an' dusty ground,

Jes' get your Barlow ready an' prepare to make a swipe,

And carve it straight an' steady, till it opens red an' ripe!

Then fold your Barlow careful, an' take your melon flat;

Put one half on this side o' you the other half on that;

Then take the biggest in your lap an' tear the heart out;

An' snuck your lips, an' praise the Lord from whom all blessings flow!

A Seaside Joke.

Atlanta Constitution.

With little, shy and sweet alarms And a dainty locomotion

She lipped in the ocean's arms— O, would I were the ocean!

As an emergency medicine, for sudden

colds, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral takes the lead of all remedies, a dose or two generally sufficing to stop ordinary coughs and ease the worst. For the cure of throat and lung disorders, this preparation is unequalled. DAW

TO REPUBLICANS.

It is part of the Democratic plan to challenge the vote of every Republican who has not been assessed under the new West Virginia election law. Don't let them find you unprepared.

Tren Camp Stools, Chairs and Cots

sold by Alex. Frew, the Main Street Furniture Dealer, are just the thing for picnic and fishing parties.

Heilmeyer's Dyeing Establishment.

John Heilmeyer, proprietor of the Pan Handle Dyeing Establishment, No. 1431 Market street, respectfully announces that he is prepared to do cleaning, dyeing and repairing, and in fact he guarantees to make your last year's clothes look as good as new on short notice. Give him a call.

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On limb. Completely Helpless. Unable to Walk Without Crutches. Flesh to the Bone Dropped Out.

Suffered Greatly. Doctors Failed to Relieve. Speedily Cured by Cuticura Remedies.

In the summer of 1888, a sore came on the fleshy part of my right leg, not far from the shin bone. It continued to increase in size, and eventually formed a large ulcer three inches long by two wide. I employed a regular physician, but he gave me no relief. It was very painful, and eventually part of the flesh to the bone dropped out. After suffering with it for six months I was induced to try the CUTICURA Remedies. At this time I was completely helpless, unable to walk without crutches, and suffered greatly. In about a week the sore began to show signs of improvement, and eventually was completely healed. Another sore then broke out on my left leg, but the same treatment soon cured that. I was indebted solely to the CUTICURA Remedies for my restoration to health. My leg is now as well as it ever was, and since then I have not been troubled with sores.

D. F. MERRITT, Ellaville, Ala.

We hereby certify that we are acquainted with the above D. F. Merritt, and regard him as a reliable, truthful man, and I believe his statement to be true in every particular.

J. C. BRADLEY, Mayor.

JOHN H. BYNUM, Circuit and Chancery Clerk.

B. E. DEWALL, Sheriff.

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The new Blood and Skin Purifier and Greatest of Humors Remedies. Internally to cleanse the blood of all impurities, and thus remove the cause, and CUTICURA, the great Skin Cure, and CUTICURA SOAP, an exquisite Skin Beautifier, externally to clear the skin and scalp, and restore the hair, cure every species of skin disease, itching, burning, scaly, and pimply diseases of the skin, scalp and blood.

Sold everywhere. Price, CUTICURA, 50c; SOAP, 25c; RESOLVENT, 50c. Prepared by the FREDERICKS AND CHEMICAL CORPORATION, Boston.

See "How to Cure Skin Diseases," 51 pages, 50 illustrations, and 100 testimonials. Mailed free.

PIMPLES black-heads, red, rough, chapped and oily skin cured by CUTICURA SOAP.

I CAN'T BREATHE.

Chest Pain, Soreness, Weakness, Hacking Cough, Asthma, Pleurisy, and all Lung Affections relieved by the CUTICURA Inhalant.

Nothing like it for Weak Lungs.

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FOR SALE—ONE NEW NO. 3 CALIGRAPH, cost \$100; has been used but two weeks; will sell cheap. Address: Typewriter, this office.

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WANTED—A RELIABLE GENERAL agent for West Virginia. Liberal inducements to right man. Reference required. Address: WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, Room 401, Ferguson Block, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Ever brought to the city. All styles and grades of Guns and at prices to suit everybody.

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A New and Practical Improvement in Writing.

WE HAVE THEM.

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Tissue Paper Wreaths, Stars and Festooning,

For House or Wagon decoration, which we are selling very low.

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—OF THE—

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MONDAY, JUNE 20, 1892.

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Five-roomed house, 77 Zane street; good, sized lot, central location, \$1,800.

Business property on Market street, near Fourteenth.

With many other improved properties in all parts of the city.

BUILDING LOTS.

\$225 buys a good lot on the west end of the island.

On South York street, one-half square from street cars, \$500.

On Fifteenth street, for \$1,000.

On North Huron (paved street), for \$750.

A choice residence site on North York, 67 feet front, running back to river, very high ground. \$315 buys a good lot in Gibraltar addition.

One of the best lots in the old Fair Ground addition, for \$500.

Lots on South Broadway, old Base Ball Park, for \$1,000.

Splendid lot on South Front street, river view, \$1,200.